

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Charles J. Stouffer et al	Art Unit :	3727
Serial No. :	09/434,507	Examiner :	Nathan Jeffrey Newhouse
Filed :	November 5, 1999	Confirmation No.:	4043
Title :	HIGH PRESSURE ISOSTATIC PRESSURE BONDING OF HOLLOW BERYLLIUM PRESSURE VESSELS USING A BONDING FLANGE		

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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REPLY TO ACTION OF DECEMBER 30, 2005

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: